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Annual Report

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## TOWN of SPRINGFIELD

New Hampshire



FOR THE YEAR ENDING

JANUARY 31<sup>st</sup>, 1934



# **ANNUAL REPORT**

—OF THE—

**SELECTMEN, TREASURER, ROAD AGENTS AND  
TRUSTEES OF FUNDS**

—OF THE—

## **Town of Springfield**

**NEW HAMPSHIRE**

**TOGETHER WITH THE REPORT OF THE**

**SCHOOL BOARD**

—AND THE—

**VITAL STATISTICS FOR THE YEAR 1933**

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## TOWN OFFICERS

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### MODERATOR

Justin E. Nichols

### TOWN CLERK

Seely W. Philbrick

### SELECTMEN

John M. Philbrick

Ernest H. Broe

Arthur H. Metcalf

### TOWN TREASURER

Addie E. Philbrick

### TAX COLLECTOR

Walter C. Gardner

### TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

Agnes J. Morgan

Guy H. Cross

William L. Morgan

### TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC LIBRARY

George D. Philbrick

Evan E. George

H. Pauline Rudner

### ROAD AGENTS

Justin E. Nichols

Clayton M. Pillsbury

Carl J. Heath

### FIRE WARDEN

Walter C. Gardner

### SUPERVISORS OF CHECK LIST

Leighton E. Philbrick

Ruth A. Philbrick, deceased  
John A. Heath

### AUDITORS

Hilda E. Clough

Evan E. George

## INVENTORY OF TAXABLE PROPERTY

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|                                          | Valuation    |
|------------------------------------------|--------------|
| Land and Buildings                       | \$404,185.00 |
| Electric Light Plants                    | 1,550.00     |
| 54 Horses                                | 2,180.00     |
| 6 Oxen                                   | 265.00       |
| 133 Cows                                 | 3,575.00     |
| 25 Neat Stock                            | 590.00       |
| 40 Sheep                                 | 106.00       |
| 4 Goats                                  | 20.00        |
| 260 Fowls                                | 130.00       |
| 2 Portable Mills                         | 1,000.00     |
| Wood and Lumber                          | 2,550.00     |
| 9 Gasoline Pumps and Tanks               | 800.00       |
| Stock in Trade                           | 1,500.00     |
| Mine Machinery                           | 650.00       |
| 181 Polls at \$2.00                      | \$362.00     |
| National Bank Stock Tax                  | 4.00         |
| <hr/>                                    |              |
| Total, exclusive of Soldiers' Exemptions | \$419,101.00 |
| Amount of Taxes committed to Collector   | 12,268.47    |
| Tax Rate                                 | 2.84         |
| Amount exempted to Soldiers              | 3,200.00     |

### APPROPRIATIONS

|                                      |             |
|--------------------------------------|-------------|
| Town Charges                         | \$ 1,400.00 |
| Highways and Bridges                 | 3,500.00    |
| New London Road, Legislative Special | 500.00      |
| District Nurse                       | 500.00      |
| Library—vote of town                 | 100.00      |
| Library—annual                       | 25.00       |
| Memorial Day                         | 15.00       |
| Hill-Heath Church Fund, interest     | 20.00       |
| Minister Fund, annual                | 22.50       |
| State Tax                            | 897.00      |
| County Tax                           | 2,085.66    |
| Support of Schools                   | 4,220.38    |
| Overlay by Selectmen                 | 197.92      |

# BALANCE SHEET

## ASSETS

|                                                                                   |                 |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| Cash:                                                                             |                 |
| In hands of Treasurer                                                             | \$ 3,737.42     |
| Accounts Due to the Town:                                                         |                 |
| Due from State:                                                                   |                 |
| (a) Joint Highway Construction Accounts,<br>Unexpended Balances in State Treasury | 15.69           |
| (b) New London Road                                                               | 6.07            |
| (c) E. R. U.                                                                      | 107.33          |
| Due from County:                                                                  |                 |
| (a) Merrimack Co.—Cemetery Lot                                                    | 3.00            |
| Other bills due Town:                                                             |                 |
| (a) Hedge Hog Bounties                                                            | 10.00           |
| Taxes bought by Town                                                              | 73.28           |
| Uncollected Taxes:                                                                |                 |
| (a) Levy of 1933                                                                  | 2,444.03        |
| (b) Levy of 1932                                                                  | 288.90          |
| <br>Total Assets                                                                  | <br>\$ 6,685.72 |
| <br>Grand Total                                                                   | <br>\$ 6,685.72 |
| Surplus, January 31, 1933                                                         | \$ 6,027.66     |
| Surplus, January 31, 1934                                                         | \$ 5,944.36     |
| Decrease of surplus                                                               | \$ 83.30        |

## LIABILITIES

|                                                     |                 |
|-----------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| Accounts Owned by the Town:                         |                 |
| Due to School Districts:                            |                 |
| (a) Dog licenses                                    | \$ 102.41       |
| State and Town Joint Highway Construction Accounts: |                 |
| (a) Unexpended balance in State Treasury            | 129.09          |
| (b) Unexpended balance in town Treasury             |                 |
| S. A. Construction                                  | 7.84            |
| New London Road                                     | 2.02            |
| Trust Funds, Amount of Principal Used by Town:      |                 |
| Hill-Heath Church Fund                              | 500.00          |
| <br>Total Liabilities                               | <br>\$ 741.36   |
| Excess of assets over liabilities (Surplus)         | \$ 5,944.36     |
| <br>Grand Total                                     | <br>\$ 6,685.72 |

## TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

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Received for Automobile Permits:

|                               |           |
|-------------------------------|-----------|
| Feb. 1, 1933 to Dec. 31, 1933 | \$ 170.09 |
| Jan. 1, 1934 to Jan. 31, 1934 | 202.52    |
|                               | 372.61    |

\$ 372.61

Received for dog licenses:

|             |          |
|-------------|----------|
| 35 @ \$2.00 | \$ 70.00 |
| 9 @ \$5.00  | 45.00    |
| 2 puppies   | 2.83     |
|             | 117.83   |

|                |           |
|----------------|-----------|
| Total Receipts | \$ 490.44 |
|----------------|-----------|

|                     |           |
|---------------------|-----------|
| Paid Town Treasurer | \$ 490.44 |
|---------------------|-----------|

SEELY W. PHILBRICK, Town Clerk.



## TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

|                                                  |             |              |
|--------------------------------------------------|-------------|--------------|
| Cash in Treasury Jan. 31, 1933                   |             | \$ 3,131.08  |
| Received from Selectmen                          | \$ 6,790.02 |              |
| Received from Seely W. Philbrick,<br>Town Clerk: |             |              |
| Automobile license permits, 1933                 | 170.09      |              |
| Automobile license permits, 1934                 | 202.52      |              |
| Dog licenses                                     | 117.83      |              |
| Received from Walter C. Gardner,<br>Collector:   |             |              |
| Taxes, levy of 1929                              | 44.33       |              |
| Taxes, levy of 1930                              | 89.08       |              |
| Interest on levy of 1930                         | 11.26       |              |
| Taxes, levy of 1931                              | 335.48      |              |
| Interest on levy of 1931                         | 13.30       |              |
| Taxes, levy of 1932                              | 2,233.31    |              |
| Interest of levy of 1932                         | 116.59      |              |
| Taxes, levy of 1933                              | 9,750.00    |              |
| Interest on levy of 1933                         | 3.64        |              |
| Received from C. J. Heath,<br>Road Agent:        |             |              |
| Plowing Grafton Roads                            | 5.00        |              |
| Received from J. E. Nichols,<br>Road Agent:      |             |              |
| Plowing Grantham Roads                           | 8.21        |              |
| Received from Sugar River Savings<br>Bank:       |             |              |
| Interest                                         | 20.60       |              |
| <hr/>                                            |             |              |
| Total Receipts                                   |             | \$ 19,911.26 |
|                                                  |             | <hr/>        |
| Grand Total                                      |             | \$ 23,042.34 |
| Paid by order of Selectmen                       |             | 19,304.92    |
|                                                  |             | <hr/>        |
| Cast in Treasury Jan. 31, 1934                   |             | \$ 3,737.42  |

ADDIE E. PHILBRICK, Town Treasurer.

## RECEIPTS

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### From Local Taxes:

|                                                                   |              |           |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|-----------|
| Property and Poll Taxes<br>committed to collector,<br>1933        | \$ 12,284.09 |           |
| Less discount, 1933                                               | 90.06        |           |
| Less uncollected, 1933                                            | 2,444.03     |           |
| Property taxes current year,<br>actually collected                | 9,524.00     |           |
| Poll taxes, current year,<br>actually collected,<br>111 @ \$2.00  | 222.00       |           |
| Property and poll taxes,<br>previous years, actually<br>collected | 2,702.20     |           |
| National Bank Stock taxes                                         | 4.00         |           |
| Total of above collections                                        |              | 12,452.20 |
| Tax sales redeemed                                                |              | 31.30     |

### From State:

#### For Highways and Bridges:

|                                                             |          |          |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|----------|----------|
| (a) Emergency Relief Unem-<br>ployed—Highway<br>maintenance | 3,279.33 |          |
| (b) For Class V Highway<br>maintenance                      | 531.30   |          |
| (c) New London Road                                         | 1,424.53 | 5,234.16 |
| Interest and dividend tax                                   |          | 853.40   |
| Savings bank tax                                            |          | 63.17    |
| Bounties                                                    |          | 120.00   |

### From County:

|                     |        |
|---------------------|--------|
| For support of poor | 252.32 |
|---------------------|--------|

### From Local Sources, Except Taxes:

|                                                 |        |
|-------------------------------------------------|--------|
| Dog licenses                                    | 117.83 |
| Rent of town property                           | 28.00  |
| Interest received on taxes                      | 144.79 |
| Interest received on deposits                   | 20.60  |
| Registration of motor vehicles,<br>1933 Permits | 202.52 |

|                                           |        |           |
|-------------------------------------------|--------|-----------|
| Registration of motor vehicles,           |        |           |
| 1934 Permits                              |        | 170.09    |
| Receipts Other Than Current Revenue:      |        |           |
| Refunds, Francis Beals                    | 15.00  |           |
| W. C. Gardner, E. R. U. Funds             | 183.67 |           |
| Earl Carpenter                            | 2.00   |           |
| Rent of Tractor—Grantham                  | 8.21   |           |
| Rent of Tractor—Grafton                   | 5.00   | 213.88    |
| Sale of Cemetery Lots                     |        | 6.00      |
|                                           |        | <hr/>     |
| Total Receipts Other Than Current Revenue | \$     | 219.88    |
|                                           |        | <hr/>     |
| Total Receipts From All Sources           | \$     | 19,911.26 |
| Cash on hand February 1, 1933             |        | 3,131.08  |
|                                           |        | <hr/>     |
| Grand Total                               | \$     | 23,042.34 |

## PAYMENTS

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### Current Maintenance Expenses:

#### General Government:

|                                                |           |          |
|------------------------------------------------|-----------|----------|
| 1. Town officers' salaries                     | \$ 439.71 |          |
| 2. Town officers' expenses                     | 263.86    |          |
| 3. Expenses town hall and other town buildings | 350.65    | 1,054.22 |

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#### Protection of Persons and Property:

|                                                |        |        |
|------------------------------------------------|--------|--------|
| 4. Police department, including care of tramps | 13.90  |        |
| 5. Fire department, including forest fires     | 17.00  |        |
| 6. Bounties                                    | 121.80 | 152.70 |

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#### Health:

|                      |        |        |
|----------------------|--------|--------|
| 7. Health department | 501.68 |        |
| 8. Vital statistics  | 6.50   | 508.18 |

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#### Highways and Bridges:

|                                                                        |          |          |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------|----------|
| 9. Emergency relief unemployed Highway maintenance                     | 3,463.00 |          |
| 10. Town maintenance                                                   | 4,062.10 |          |
| 11. General expenses of highway department, including watering troughs | 143.45   | 7,668.55 |

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#### Libraries:

|               |  |        |
|---------------|--|--------|
| 12. Libraries |  | 125.00 |
|---------------|--|--------|

#### Charities:

|                        |        |        |
|------------------------|--------|--------|
| 13. Old age assistance | 100.00 |        |
| 14. Town poor          | 132.48 |        |
| 15. County poor        | 140.29 | 372.77 |

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#### Patriotic Purposes:

|                                            |  |       |
|--------------------------------------------|--|-------|
| 16. Aid to G. A. R. Memorial Day exercises |  | 15.00 |
|--------------------------------------------|--|-------|

#### Public Service Enterprises:

|                |  |       |
|----------------|--|-------|
| 17. Cemeteries |  | 20.00 |
|----------------|--|-------|

## Unclassified:

|                          |  |       |
|--------------------------|--|-------|
| 18. Taxes bought by town |  | 73.28 |
|--------------------------|--|-------|

## Interest:

|                            |       |  |
|----------------------------|-------|--|
| 19. Hill-Heath Church Fund | 20.00 |  |
| Minister Fund              | 22.50 |  |

|                         |  |       |
|-------------------------|--|-------|
| Total Interest Payments |  | 42.50 |
|-------------------------|--|-------|

## Outlay for New Construction and Permanent Improvements:

|                                |          |  |
|--------------------------------|----------|--|
| 20. Highways and Bridges—State |          |  |
| Aid construction               | 4.09     |  |
| 21. New London Road            | 1,926.51 |  |

|                       |  |          |
|-----------------------|--|----------|
| Total Outlay Payments |  | 1,930.60 |
|-----------------------|--|----------|

## Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:

|                                  |          |  |
|----------------------------------|----------|--|
| 22. Taxes paid to State          | 897.00   |  |
| 23. Taxes paid to County         | 2,085.66 |  |
| 24. Payments to School Districts | 4,359.46 |  |

|                                                |  |          |
|------------------------------------------------|--|----------|
| Total Payments to Other Governmental Divisions |  | 7,342.12 |
|------------------------------------------------|--|----------|

|                                |  |              |
|--------------------------------|--|--------------|
| Total Payment for all Purposes |  | \$ 19,304.92 |
|--------------------------------|--|--------------|

|                               |  |          |
|-------------------------------|--|----------|
| Cash on hand January 31, 1934 |  | 3,737.42 |
|-------------------------------|--|----------|

|             |  |              |
|-------------|--|--------------|
| Grand Total |  | \$ 23,042.34 |
|-------------|--|--------------|

## DETAIL STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

### GENERAL GOVERNMENT

#### Detail 1—Town Officers' Salaries

|                                                   |           |
|---------------------------------------------------|-----------|
| John M. Philbrick, Selectman and Overseer of Poor | \$ 100.00 |
| Arthur H. Metcalf, Selectman                      | 60.00     |
| Ernest H. Broe, Selectman                         | 40.00     |
| Addie E. Philbrick, Treasurer                     | 28.00     |
| Seely W. Philbrick, Town Clerk                    | 20.00     |
| Seely W. Philbrick, auto permit fees              | 32.50     |
| Seely W. Philbrick, dog license fees              | 9.20      |
| Walter C. Gardner, Collector                      | 133.01    |
| Oscar E. Clements, Health Officer                 | 12.00     |
| H. Pauline Rudner, Auditor, 1932                  | 2.50      |
| John A. Heath, Auditor, 1932                      | 2.50      |

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\$ 439.71

#### Detail 2—Town Officers' Expenses

|                                                       |           |
|-------------------------------------------------------|-----------|
| The Argus Press, printing Town Reports and envelopes  | \$ 105.87 |
| Edson C. Eastman Co., supplies                        | 12.40     |
| C. W. Rounsevel, transfer list and tax dis.           | 2.68      |
| DeMoulin Bros. & Co., dog tags                        | 3.22      |
| John W. McCrillis, Town Officers' Bonds               | 45.00     |
| Walter C. Gardner, expense assessors' meeting         | 4.00      |
| E. H. Broe, trip to Concord, telephone                | 3.00      |
| A. H. Metcalf, use of car, expense                    | 8.56      |
| A. H. Metcalf, telephone and postage                  | 3.62      |
| Hilda E. Clough, services, ballot inspector           | 2.70      |
| Angie B. Colburn, services, ballot inspector          | 2.70      |
| Oscar E. Clements, services, ballot inspector         | 2.70      |
| Addie E. Philbrick, services, ballot inspector        | 2.70      |
| Addie E. Philbrick, postage                           | 2.64      |
| C. W. Rounsevel, recording deed and tax sale redeemed | 2.51      |
| John M. Philbrick, use of car                         | 12.16     |
| John W. McCrillis, two tractor insurances             | 18.40     |
| J. M. Barton, legal services                          | 26.00     |
| Association of N. H. Assessors, annual dues           | 2.00      |

|                                                                            |           |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|
| Seely W. Philbrick, supplies                                               | 1.00      |
|                                                                            | <hr/>     |
|                                                                            | \$ 263.86 |
| Detail 3—Expense Town Hall                                                 |           |
| M. L. Sargent & Son, insurance on Town Hall                                | \$ 32.80  |
| E. C. Brunnell, repairs                                                    | 3.05      |
| John M. Philbrick, refilling toilets with Kaustine,<br>freight and cartage | 2.96      |
| Kaustine Co., two kegs Kaustine                                            | 12.00     |
| W. H. Trumbull, painting Town Hall                                         | 280.00    |
| W. H. Trumbull, painting and labor, Honor Roll                             | 4.20      |
| S. J. Crowningshield, repairs                                              | 2.00      |
| C. E. Bailey, supplies                                                     | 2.54      |
| George D. Philbrick, janitor service and supplies                          | 11.10     |
|                                                                            | <hr/>     |
|                                                                            | \$ 350.65 |

#### PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

##### Detail 4—Police Department

|                                   |          |
|-----------------------------------|----------|
| George J. Church, police duty     | \$ 11.40 |
| Earle W. Carpenter, keeping tramp | 1.50     |
| A. H. Metcalf, feeding tramps     | 1.00     |
|                                   | <hr/>    |
|                                   | \$ 13.90 |

##### Detail 5—Fire Department

|                                              |          |
|----------------------------------------------|----------|
| Walter C. Gardner, Warden, posting notices   | \$ 11.00 |
| E. C. Brunell, fighting fire at school shed  | 4.00     |
| Guy A. Wheeler, watching fire at school shed | 2.00     |
|                                              | <hr/>    |
|                                              | \$ 17.00 |

##### Detail 6—Bounties

|                                  |           |
|----------------------------------|-----------|
| Harland J. Heath, cash paid out  | \$ 11.60  |
| John M. Philbrick, cash paid out | 14.60     |
| A. H. Metcalf, cash paid out     | 46.80     |
| E. H. Broe, cash paid out        | 31.60     |
| C. E. Bailey, cash paid out      | 17.20     |
|                                  | <hr/>     |
|                                  | \$ 121.80 |

#### HEALTH

##### Detail 7—Health Department

|                                               |           |
|-----------------------------------------------|-----------|
| Community Nursing Association, nurse's salary | \$ 500.00 |
|-----------------------------------------------|-----------|

|                                             |      |
|---------------------------------------------|------|
| Oscar E. Clements, Health Officer, expenses | 1.68 |
|---------------------------------------------|------|

|    |        |
|----|--------|
| \$ | 501.68 |
|----|--------|

## Vital Statistics

|                                                 |    |      |
|-------------------------------------------------|----|------|
| Seely W. Philbrick, recording births and deaths | \$ | 5.50 |
|-------------------------------------------------|----|------|

|                                              |  |      |
|----------------------------------------------|--|------|
| F. P. Claggett, returning death certificates |  | 1.00 |
|----------------------------------------------|--|------|

|    |      |
|----|------|
| \$ | 6.50 |
|----|------|

## Detail 9—Emergency Unemployment Relief

Walter C. Gardner, Foreman

|                                |    |        |
|--------------------------------|----|--------|
| Walter Gardner                 | \$ | 166.75 |
| Walter Gardner, mileage        |    | 35.68  |
| Walter Gardner, man and truck  |    | 295.50 |
| Walter Gardner, gas and oil    |    | 53.77  |
| Walter Gardner, telephone      |    | 1.20   |
| Walter Gardner, lumber         |    | 3.20   |
| Justin Nichols, man and truck  |    | 219.50 |
| Harold Wheeler, man and truck  |    | 85.00  |
| Clayton Pillsbury and truck    |    | 166.50 |
| Carl Heath, man and truck      |    | 193.50 |
| Guy Cross and truck            |    | 175.50 |
| Noel Eastman, man and truck    |    | 48.50  |
| Clifton Moody                  |    | 16.20  |
| Harland Heath                  |    | 16.20  |
| Willis Burgess                 |    | 2.70   |
| Mason Wheeler                  |    | 70.05  |
| George Church                  |    | 76.95  |
| Earle Carpenter                |    | 69.30  |
| George Saunders                |    | 97.05  |
| George Saunders, blacksmithing |    | 10.10  |
| George Saunders, mileage       |    | 3.97   |
| Justin Nichols                 |    | 97.35  |
| Leighton Philbrick             |    | 88.95  |
| William Morrison               |    | 48.45  |
| Raymond Beals                  |    | 52.65  |
| John George                    |    | 7.50   |
| Charles Evans                  |    | 5.10   |
| Evan George                    |    | 36.15  |
| Leon Tenney                    |    | 18.90  |
| Leon Tenney and team           |    | 4.50   |
| H. Seely Severance             |    | 1.05   |
| Clayton Pillsbury              |    | 24.30  |
| Charles King                   |    | 18.90  |



|                             |        |
|-----------------------------|--------|
| Frank Olney                 | 10.05  |
| Harry Rudner                | 64.95  |
| Carl Heath                  | 46.05  |
| William Daniels             | 19.80  |
| Burt Morgan                 | 20.70  |
| Ervil Pickering             | 15.30  |
| John Witt                   | 29.25  |
| William Lorent              | 1.35   |
| John Heath                  | 11.85  |
| George Leavitt              | 46.65  |
| William Howard              | 16.20  |
| C. Ross Stacy               | 23.40  |
| Seely Philbrick             | 13.50  |
| Elisha Mutney               | 44.55  |
| Bryan Putney and team       | 2.00   |
| Clarence Mutney             | 44.55  |
| Sidney Pillsbury            | 26.55  |
| W. W. Thornton              | 8.10   |
| James Pillsbury             | 16.20  |
| John Philbrick              | 29.25  |
| Arthur Collins              | 14.70  |
| Wendell Hooper              | 4.80   |
| H. A. Eastman, lumber       | 6.00   |
| W. G. Dresser, dynamite     | 119.25 |
| Reney Bros., lumber         | 10.21  |
| Noel Eastman, gas and oil   | 8.32   |
| R. B. MacWilliams, drilling | 15.45  |
| Burt Morgan, sand           | 79.80  |
| Hilda Clough, gravel        | 217.50 |
| William Hill, gravel        | 15.00  |
| Ransom Putney Est., gravel  | 59.10  |
| C. E. Bailey, supplies      | 28.03  |

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\$ 3,279.33

|                           |          |
|---------------------------|----------|
| Paid by State, culverts   | \$ 76.72 |
| Balance in hands of State | 107.33   |

## HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES

### Detail 10—Town Maintenance

#### Winter Breaking after Settlement

Justin E. Nichols, Foreman

|                          |          |
|--------------------------|----------|
| Justin E. Nichols        | \$ 91.33 |
| Justin E. Nichols, truck | 100.66   |

|                              |           |
|------------------------------|-----------|
| Justin E. Nichols, snow plow | 74.00     |
| Robert Collins               | 66.14     |
| Leighton Philbrick           | 64.15     |
| Charles Evans                | 62.98     |
| Arthur Collins               | 52.09     |
| Harold Wheeler               | 43.89     |
| Harold Wheeler and truck     | 8.00      |
| Mason Wheeler                | 1.00      |
| Clarence Mutney              | .89       |
| Leonard Patten               | 6.11      |
| Sidney Pillsbury             | 14.42     |
| Clayton Pillsbury            | 2.75      |
| Earle Carpenter              | .83       |
| Clarence Peaslee             | .67       |
| William Lorent               | 2.47      |
| Charles Palmer               | 1.50      |
| Ervil Pickering              | .67       |
| John Heath                   | .67       |
| Kirk Heath                   | 9.89      |
| Hollis Heath                 | 4.22      |
| George Philbrick             | 1.67      |
| Loren Patten                 | 1.40      |
| Evan George                  | .56       |
| William Daniels              | 4.17      |
| Harland Heath                | 2.67      |
| Charles King                 | 3.62      |
| Carl J. Heath                | 7.50      |
| Carl J. Heath, truck         | 4.00      |
| C. E. Bailey, gas and oil    | 39.14     |
| C. E. Bailey, supplies       | 2.67      |
| Walter Gardner, gas and oil  | 66.36     |
| Walter Gardner, use of car   | 2.00      |
| Bryan Putney, gas            | 3.72      |
| C. J. Nichols, gas           | 8.49      |
|                              | <hr/>     |
|                              | \$ 757.30 |

## SUMMER WORK

|                            |           |
|----------------------------|-----------|
| Justin E. Nichols, Foreman |           |
| Justin E. Nichols          | \$ 108.48 |
| Justin E. Nichols, truck   | 216.70    |
| Justin E. Nichols, team    | 18.90     |
| Robert Collins             | 98.55     |
| Leighton Philbrick         | 73.20     |
| Mason Wheeler              | 23.10     |

|                                      |       |
|--------------------------------------|-------|
| Earle Carpenter                      | 2.70  |
| Charles Evans                        | 61.80 |
| William Howard                       | .90   |
| Evan George                          | 17.40 |
| Arthur Collins                       | 7.30  |
| Sidney Pillsbury                     | 7.80  |
| Paul Heath                           | 1.20  |
| William Morgan                       | 16.20 |
| John Philbrick                       | 2.70  |
| George Saunders                      | 8.10  |
| Hollis Heath                         | 1.35  |
| Carl Heath                           | 2.70  |
| Walter Gardner, man and truck        | 26.50 |
| Harold Wheeler and truck             | 6.50  |
| Clayton Pillsbury and truck          | 55.15 |
| Guy Cross and truck                  | 18.00 |
| C. E. Bailey, gas and oil            | 41.45 |
| C. E. Bailey, supplies               | 3.60  |
| Walter Gardner, gas                  | .93   |
| Clayton Pillsbury, dynamite and caps | 8.93  |
| Hilda Clough, gravel                 | 28.28 |
| William Hill, gravel                 | 22.90 |
| T. P. Messer, gravel                 | 6.10  |
| Elon MacWilliams, drilling           | 14.60 |
| Reney Bros., plank                   | 14.22 |

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\$ 916.24

Carl J. Heath, Foreman

|                         |          |
|-------------------------|----------|
| Carl J. Heath           | \$ 91.24 |
| Carl J. Heath and truck | 39.15    |
| Carl J. Heath and team  | 24.12    |
| John Heath              | 34.95    |
| Charles King            | 1.50     |
| Leighton Philbrick      | 19.05    |
| Paul Heath              | 36.15    |
| Robert Collins          | 3.90     |
| Clarence Peaslee        | 1.00     |
| Elmer Tyrrel            | 2.55     |
| Kirk Heath              | 15.60    |
| Hollis Heath            | 22.20    |
| Justin Nichols          | 26.70    |
| William Lorent          | 37.20    |
| William Daniels         | 5.40     |
| George Leavitt          | 5.40     |

|                               |        |
|-------------------------------|--------|
| George Smith                  | 24.60  |
| Sidney Pillsbury              | 25.20  |
| Norman Macie                  | 6.50   |
| Loren Pero                    | 15.30  |
| Evan George                   | .90    |
| Harland Heath                 | 6.90   |
| Mason Wheeler                 | 6.60   |
| Frank Olney and team          | 15.70  |
| William Lorent and team       | 22.95  |
| Leon Tenney and team          | 10.80  |
| Hollis Heath and truck        | 161.25 |
| Justin Nichols and truck      | 13.00  |
| Guy Cross and truck           | 9.00   |
| Walter Gardner, man and truck | 13.00  |
| Hilda Clough, gravel          | 17.95  |
| Walter Gardner, gas and oil   | 14.14  |
| Walter Gardner, plank         | 108.16 |
| C. E. Bailey, supplies        | 9.71   |
| A. A. Morril, bill            | 27.61  |
| H. R. Morril, bill            | 10.00  |
| R. C. Leonard, bill           | 3.50   |

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\$ 888.88

Clayton M. Pillsbury, Foreman

|                          |           |
|--------------------------|-----------|
| Clayton Pillsbury        | \$ 149.97 |
| Clayton Pillsbury, truck | 155.75    |
| William Howard           | 66.00     |
| John Witt                | 23.40     |
| Loren Patten             | 2.70      |
| Victor Tucker            | 5.10      |
| Justin Nichols           | 42.45     |
| Willis Burgess           | 5.40      |
| Herbert Temple           | 8.10      |
| Richard Colby            | 0.10      |
| Harry Rudner             | 3.45      |
| Nelson Lane              | 8.10      |
| James Pillsbury          | 6.00      |
| John Lane                | 19.35     |
| Sidney Pillsbury         | 10.80     |
| Leighton Philbrick       | 2.70      |
| Mason Wheeler            | 5.40      |
| Wendell Hooper           | 5.40      |
| Clarence Mutney          | 16.95     |
| J. W. Meyette            | 2.70      |

|                                        |       |
|----------------------------------------|-------|
| Elisha Mutney                          | 17.15 |
| W. W. Thornton                         | 8.10  |
| Robert Kennedy                         | 2.70  |
| Bryan Putney                           | 2.70  |
| John Philbrick                         | 5.85  |
| Guy Cross                              | 7.50  |
| Winston Bailey                         | 1.50  |
| Justin Nichols and truck               | 45.00 |
| Justin Nichols and team                | 5.40  |
| Bryan Putney and team                  | 45.90 |
| Kirk Heath and boiler                  | 16.00 |
| Clyde Hudson, gravel                   | 9.45  |
| S. J. Crowningshield, gravel           | 7.20  |
| T. P. Messer, gravel                   | 14.70 |
| C.E. Bailey, gas and tools             | 20.35 |
| W. A. Reney, gas                       | 7.11  |
| Clayton Pillsbury, gas, oil and spikes | 6.74  |
| Clayton Pillsbury, dynamite and caps   | 15.00 |
| Justin Nichols, dynamite               | 4.07  |
| Elon MacWilliams, drilling             | 6.63  |
| Bryan Putney, plank                    | 27.19 |
| Walter Gardner, plank                  | 9.60  |
| Reney Bros., plank                     | 52.54 |
| New England Metal Culvert Co.          | 12.32 |
| George Saunders, sharpening tools      | 1.65  |
| C. E. Bailey, supplies                 | 11.58 |
| Gamsby Bros., caps                     | 3.75  |

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\$ 921.45

#### WINTER BREAKING

Justin E. Nichols, Foreman

|                              |          |
|------------------------------|----------|
| Justin E. Nichols            | \$ 72.60 |
| Justin E. Nichols, truck     | 135.10   |
| Justin E. Nichols, snow plow | 65.00    |
| Harold Wheeler and truck     | 4.00     |
| Guy Cross and truck          | 6.00     |
| Leighton Philbrick           | 45.45    |
| Charles Evans                | 21.60    |
| Harold Wheeler               | 13.50    |
| Robert Collins               | 62.70    |
| Arthur Collins               | 46.50    |
| John George                  | 6.85     |
| William Morgan               | 12.30    |
| Leonard Patten               | 12.90    |

|                                     |           |
|-------------------------------------|-----------|
| John Pickering                      | .90       |
| Clayton Pillsbury                   | .60       |
| D. H. Patten, use of car            | 4.00      |
| George Saunders, blacksmithing      | .50       |
| Montgomery Ward & Co., supplies     | .52       |
| C. E. Bailey, gas, oil and supplies | 27.58     |
| Walter Gardner, gas and oil         | 19.66     |
| Noel Eastman, gas                   | 8.82      |
| C. J. Nichols, gas                  | 3.35      |
| Hilda Clough, gravel                | 5.80      |
| Clyde Hudson, gravel                | 1.40      |
| S. J. Crowningshield, gravel        | .60       |
|                                     | <hr/>     |
|                                     | \$ 578.23 |

## Detail 11—General Expenses of Highway Department

|                                                               |           |
|---------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|
| Miller Automobile Co., tractor repairs                        | \$ 97.18  |
| Newport Motor Co., tractor repairs                            | 6.55      |
| Adolph Hammar, welding road scraper and blade                 | 13.00     |
| Robert Collins, use of car to W. R. Jet.                      | 2.00      |
| Justin Nichols, cash paid Harold Wheeler, cartage             | 4.50      |
| Justin Nichols, cash paid repairs road machine<br>and tractor | 20.22     |
|                                                               | <hr/>     |
|                                                               | \$ 143.45 |

## LIBRARIES

## Detail 12—Libraries

|                                              |           |
|----------------------------------------------|-----------|
| Libbie A. Cass, Librarian, rent and services | \$ 100.00 |
| Trustees of Public Library, app'n. by law    | 25.00     |
|                                              | <hr/>     |
|                                              | \$ 125.00 |

## CHARITIES

## Detail 13—Old Age Assistance

|  |           |
|--|-----------|
|  | \$ 100.00 |
|--|-----------|

## Detail 14—Town Poor

|                                                    |           |
|----------------------------------------------------|-----------|
| Francis Beals, labor for F. Kinsley and E. Hill    | \$ 60.00  |
| C. E. Bailey, groceries for F. Kinsley and E. Hill | 12.05     |
| Raymond J. Beals, milk for F. Kinsley and E. Hill  | 3.00      |
| New Hampshire Relief Administration                | 57.43     |
|                                                    | <hr/>     |
|                                                    | \$ 132.48 |

## Detail 15—County Poor

|                                           |          |
|-------------------------------------------|----------|
| C. E. Bailey, groceries for Omer Melanson | \$ 52.99 |
|-------------------------------------------|----------|

# 21

|                                                 |       |
|-------------------------------------------------|-------|
| C. E. Bailey, footwear, E. Mutney               | 3.00  |
| C. E. Bailey, groceries for Loren Pero          | 5.00  |
| Earle Carpenter, for medicine                   | 2.00  |
| Mary Hitchcock Hospital, operation, A. Melanson | 77.30 |

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\$ 140.29

## PATRIOTIC PURPOSES

Detail 16—Memorial Day, Special Report

|                          |          |
|--------------------------|----------|
| Libbie A. Cass, Chairman | \$ 15.00 |
|--------------------------|----------|

## PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES

Detail 17—Cemeteries

|                                    |          |
|------------------------------------|----------|
| Earle Carpenter, mowing cemeteries | \$ 15.00 |
| Francis Beals, mowing cemeteries   | 5.00     |

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\$ 20.00

## UNCLASSIFIED

Detail 18—Taxes Bought by Town

\$ 77.28

## INTEREST

Detail 19—Hill Heath Church Fund

|                                       |          |
|---------------------------------------|----------|
| Seely W. Philbrick, Trustee           | \$ 20.00 |
| Treasurer Union Church, Minister Fund | 22.50    |

## OUTLAY FOR NEW CONSTRUCTION AND PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS

Detail 20

|                                        |         |
|----------------------------------------|---------|
| S. A. Construction, to balance account | \$ 4.09 |
|----------------------------------------|---------|

Detail 21—New London Road

## LEGISLATIVE SPECIAL

Carl J. Heath, Foreman

|                                |           |
|--------------------------------|-----------|
| Carl Heath                     | \$ 142.27 |
| Hollis Heath and truck         | 423.25    |
| Justin Nichols, man and truck  | 167.50    |
| Walter Gardner, man and truck  | 87.00     |
| Clayton Pillsbury and truck    | 18.00     |
| Guy Cross and truck            | 36.00     |
| Frank Olney and team           | 38.40     |
| George Saunders and team       | 27.00     |
| Carl Heath, use of stone wagon | 5.00      |
| George Leavitt                 | 67.50     |
| John Heath                     | 57.15     |
| Harold Wheeler                 | 2.70      |

|                                      |       |
|--------------------------------------|-------|
| William Lorent                       | 73.05 |
| Seely Philbrick                      | 2.70  |
| Justin Nichols                       | 76.50 |
| Leighton Philbrick                   | 99.00 |
| Mason Wheeler                        | 44.55 |
| Charles Evans                        | 90.90 |
| William Morgan                       | 5.40  |
| Harry Rudner                         | 81.00 |
| Elisha Mutney                        | 10.80 |
| Paul Heath                           | 8.10  |
| Evan George                          | 49.05 |
| Sidney Pillsbury                     | 2.70  |
| Samuel Green                         | 13.50 |
| George Smith                         | 9.60  |
| Samuel Howard                        | 7.20  |
| William Howard                       | 21.45 |
| Herbert Temple                       | 12.15 |
| Clarence Mutney                      | 2.70  |
| Richard Colby                        | 8.10  |
| Charles King                         | 4.05  |
| C. E. Bailey, gas and oil            | 56.57 |
| Miller Auto Co., repairs             | 14.55 |
| William Allaire Shop, repairs        | 3.75  |
| W. G. Dresser, dynamite              | 36.83 |
| Forest Body and Fender Shop, repairs | 2.00  |
| Clayton Morgan, bill                 | 10.50 |
| Elon MacWilliams, drilling           | 30.64 |
| T. P. Messer, gravel                 | 77.40 |

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|                        |             |
|------------------------|-------------|
|                        | \$ 1,926.51 |
| Paid by State, culvert | \$ 77.40    |

#### PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL DIVISIONS

|                                       |             |
|---------------------------------------|-------------|
| Detail 22—Taxes paid to State         |             |
| Charles T. Patten, State Treasurer    | \$ 897.00   |
| Detail 23—Taxes paid to County        |             |
| Clinton K. Barton, County Treasurer   | \$ 2,085.66 |
| Detail 24—Payments to School District |             |
| School Treasurer, 1933 appropriation  | \$ 4,220.38 |
| School Treasurer, dog licenses        | 139.08      |
|                                       | <hr/>       |
|                                       | \$ 4,359.46 |



## MEMORIAL DAY REPORT

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|                                |    |                                           |
|--------------------------------|----|-------------------------------------------|
| J. W. Johnson & Son, for flags | \$ | 3.75                                      |
| Rev. J. Stewart Campbell       |    | 5.00                                      |
| Claude J. Brewster Drum Corps  |    | 6.25                                      |
|                                |    | <hr style="width: 20%; margin: 0 auto;"/> |
|                                | \$ | 15.00                                     |

LIBBIE A. CASS,  
H. P. RUDNER.

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## AUDITORS' REPORT

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We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of the Treasurer, Selectmen, and other town officers for the year ending January 31, 1934 and find them well vouched and properly cast according to the best of our knowledge and belief.

HILDA E. CLOUGH,  
EVAN E. GEORGE.

Auditors of Springfield.

# REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF SPRINGFIELD, NEW HAMPSHIRE, ON NOVEMBER 1, 1933

| Date of<br>Creation | PURPOSE OF CREATION                                                              | HOW INVESTED           |         |       | Rate of In-<br>terest per ct. | Balance of In-<br>come on hand at<br>beginning of<br>Year | Income<br>During<br>Year | Expended<br>During<br>Year | Balance of In-<br>come on hand at<br>End of Year |
|---------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------|---------|-------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|
|                     |                                                                                  | Amount of<br>Principal | Savings | River |                               |                                                           |                          |                            |                                                  |
| Mar. 17, 1894       | Fuller Cem. Fund, Frances L. Fuller, donor                                       | \$ 50.00               | Bank    | Sugar | 4                             | \$ 4.27                                                   | \$ 2.13                  | \$ 5.00                    | \$ 1.40                                          |
| June 26, 1894       | Addison Cem. Fund, Miriam Addison, donor                                         | 100.00                 | Savings | Sugar | 4                             | 15.32                                                     | 4.56                     | .80                        | 19.09                                            |
| April 13, 1895      | Childs Cem. Fund, Emily M. Childs, donor                                         | 50.00                  | Bank    | Sugar | 4                             | 4.57                                                      | 2.15                     | 1.60                       | 5.12                                             |
| July 1, 1898        | Paige Cem. Fund, Sophrina Paige, donor                                           | 60.00                  | Bank    | Sugar | 4                             | 4.78                                                      | 2.55                     | 1.60                       | 5.12                                             |
| Jan. 30, 1900       | Quimby Cem. Fund, Belinda Quimby, donor                                          | 100.00                 | Bank    | Sugar | 4                             | 5.24                                                      | 4.15                     | 8.27                       | * 1.12                                           |
| June 30, 1900       | Davis Cem. Fund, Joseph Davis, Jr., donor                                        | 100.00                 | Bank    | Sugar | 4                             | 2.99                                                      | 4.06                     | 7.00                       | * .05                                            |
| Feb. 13, 1901       | Beal Cem. Fund, Thirza Kingsley Beal, donor                                      | 100.00                 | Bank    | Sugar | 4                             | 6.66                                                      | 4.21                     | 2.11                       | * 8.76                                           |
| Feb. 14, 1903       | Fowler Cem. Fund, Christina B. Fowler, donor                                     | 40.00                  | Bank    | Sugar | 4                             | 3.42                                                      | 1.82                     | 10                         | 5.14                                             |
| Feb. 13, 1909       | Goodhue Cem. Fund, David P. Goodhue, donor                                       | 100.00                 | Bank    | Sugar | 4                             | 3.45                                                      | 4.07                     | 5.75                       | * 1.77                                           |
| Feb. 13, 1909       | McDaniel Cem. Fund, Charles McDaniel, donor                                      | 100.00                 | Bank    | Sugar | 4                             | 3.44                                                      | 4.16                     | 7.44                       | * 1.12                                           |
| Feb. 15, 1909       | Morgan Cem. Fund, Frank B. Morgan, donor                                         | 50.00                  | Bank    | Sugar | 4                             | 4.25                                                      | 2.14                     | 1.30                       | 5.09                                             |
| Mar., 1909          | Soden and Metcalf Cem. Fund, Arthur H. Soden and Mary<br>Clement Metcalf, donors | 100.00                 | Bank    | Sugar | 4                             | 13.38                                                     | 4.48                     | 2.15                       | 15.71                                            |
| Feb. 14, 1912       | Burnham Cem. Fund, Madison A. Burnham, donor                                     | 50.00                  | Bank    | Sugar | 4                             | .48                                                       | 2.01                     | 1.70                       | * .79                                            |
| Feb. 14, 1912       | McDaniel and Quimby Cem. Fund, Amanda McDaniel and<br>Warren S. Quimby, donors   | 100.00                 | Bank    | Sugar | 4                             | 5.44                                                      | 4.16                     | 2.10                       | * 7.50                                           |
| July 24, 1913       | Wiggins Cem. Fund, Mary J. Wiggins, donor                                        | 300.00                 | Bank    | Sugar | 4                             | 40.58                                                     | 13.47                    | 15.65                      | 38.40                                            |
| Nov. 24, 1914       | G. H. Morgan Cem. Fund, George H. Morgan, donor                                  | 50.00                  | Bank    | Sugar | 4                             | 3.69                                                      | 2.12                     | 1.80                       | 4.01                                             |
| June 8, 1916        | Heath Cem. Fund, Edwin R. Heath, donor                                           | 200.00                 | Bank    | Sugar | 4                             | 36.16                                                     | 9.25                     | 4.40                       | 41.01                                            |
| Jan. 31, 1919       | I. S. Colby Cem. Fund, Isabel A. Colby, donor                                    | 95.00                  | Bank    | Sugar | 4                             | 14.63                                                     | 4.33                     | 9.40                       | 9.56                                             |
| Sept. 24, 1920      | John M. Philbrick Cem. Fund, Serphina M. Philbrick, donor                        | 50.00                  | Bank    | Sugar | 4                             | 4.03                                                      | 2.14                     | 3.50                       | 2.67                                             |
| Oct. 15, 1921       | C. C. Messer Cem. Fund, C. C. Messer, donor                                      | 300.00                 | Bank    | Sugar | 4                             | 26.53                                                     | 12.92                    | 19.10                      | 20.85                                            |
| Dec. 9, 1924        | Kimball Hazelton Cem. Fund, Emma M. Martin, donor                                | 50.00                  | Bank    | Sugar | 4                             | 4.41                                                      | 2.16                     | 4.00                       | 2.57                                             |
| Sept. 2, 1926       | Mary Heath Cem. Fund, Mary E. Heath, donor                                       | 100.00                 | Bank    | Sugar | 4                             | 15.59                                                     | 4.46                     | 2.30                       | 17.75                                            |
| Jan. 28, 1927       | Sanborn Cem. Fund, Charles F. Sanborn, donor                                     | 50.00                  | Bank    | Sugar | 4                             | 4.64                                                      | 2.16                     | 2.35                       | 3.55                                             |
| Aug. 27, 1927       | Oren C. Heath Cem. Fund, Abbie D. Heath, donor                                   | 50.00                  | Bank    | Sugar | 4                             | 5.21                                                      | 2.18                     | 2.35                       | 5.04                                             |
| Mar. 28, 1928       | Fannie M. Heath Cem. Fund, Fannie M. Heath, donor                                | 100.00                 | Bank    | Sugar | 4                             | 13.73                                                     | 4.48                     | 1.35                       | 16.86                                            |
| Oct. 28, 1930       | R. Freeman Sanborn Cem. Fund, Collins and Amy Sanborn                            | 50.00                  | Bank    | Sugar | 4                             | 1.97                                                      | 2.05                     | .30                        | 3.72                                             |
| Jan. 16, 1932       | Geo. H. Cross Cem. Fund, Lydia Cross, donor                                      | 100.00                 | Bank    | Sugar | 4                             | 2.16                                                      | 4.02                     | 1.40                       | 4.78                                             |
| Jan. 30, 1932       | Betsy J. Washburn Cem. Fund, Estate of Betsy J. Washburn                         | 50.00                  | Bank    | Sugar | 4                             | 2.00                                                      | 1.70                     | .80                        |                                                  |

|                |                                                 |                          |       |  |      |  |     |      |      |
|----------------|-------------------------------------------------|--------------------------|-------|--|------|--|-----|------|------|
| Sept. 25, 1933 | James Hilburn Cem. Fund, Clara Hilburn, donor   | Sugar River Savings Bank | 50.00 |  |      |  |     |      |      |
| Sept. 25, 1933 | Fifield Simborn Cem. Fund, Clara Hilburn, donor | Sugar River Savings Bank | 50.00 |  |      |  |     |      |      |
| Nov. 1, 1932   | General Care                                    | Sugar River Savings Bank |       |  | 1.53 |  |     | 1.53 |      |
| Nov. 1, 1932   | Fertilizer on hand                              |                          |       |  | 3.00 |  | .50 | .75  | 1.75 |

Funds marked \* were created for care of lot and balance for general care of cemetery. Interest computed to November 1, 1933.

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

AGNES J. MORGAN, WM. L. MORGAN, GUY H. CROSS, Trustees.

## LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

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|                                                                 |      |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------|------|
| Number of bound volumes at beginning of year                    | 1803 |
| Number of bound volumes added by purchase                       | 72   |
| Number of bound volumes added by gifts                          | 23   |
| Volumes from N. H. Public Library Commission,<br>State Aid Fund | 20   |
| Federal, state and town documents added                         | 12   |
| Total number of volumes at end of year                          | 1930 |
| Number of volumes of non-fiction loaned                         | 74   |
| Number of volumes of fiction loaned                             | 1571 |
| Total circulation for current year                              | 1645 |
| Number of new patrons during year                               | 28   |
| Total number of active patrons                                  | 66   |

January 31st, 1934

LIBBIE A. CASS, Librarian.

## REPORT OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES

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### RECEIPTS

|                                 |    |       |       |
|---------------------------------|----|-------|-------|
| Balance on hand                 | \$ | 36.86 |       |
| From town, annual appropriation |    | 25.00 |       |
|                                 |    | <hr/> |       |
| Total                           | \$ |       | 61.86 |

### PAYMENTS

|                 |                                |         |       |
|-----------------|--------------------------------|---------|-------|
| Feb. 25         | 18 books, Goodman's book store | \$10.20 |       |
| Dec. 4          | 45 books, A. B. Hunt           | 19.66   |       |
| Dec. 4          | Mrs. C. E. Bailey, use         |         |       |
|                 | of car, 40 miles               | 2.50    |       |
| Dec. 5          | 1 book, John R. Kelly          | .45     |       |
| Dec. 5          | 12 books, A. B. Hunt           | 5.80    |       |
|                 |                                | <hr/>   |       |
| Total Payments  |                                | \$      | 38.61 |
| Balance on hand |                                | \$      | 23.25 |

GEORGE D. PHILBRICK,  
H. P. RUDNER,  
EVAN E. GEORGE,

Trustees.

## DISTRICT NURSE'S REPORT

For Springfield from June 1, 1932 to June 1, 1933

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|                                      |       |
|--------------------------------------|-------|
| Summary of visits:                   |       |
| Nursing                              | 162   |
| Prenatal                             | 35    |
| Maternity                            | 1     |
| Infant Health                        | 34    |
| Child Health                         | 156   |
| Social Service                       | 32    |
| School Visits                        | 65    |
| Pre-clinic and follow-up             | 19    |
| Accompanied to doctors and hospitals | 5     |
| Night duty                           | 2     |
|                                      | <hr/> |
| Total number of visits               | 511   |
| Summary of cases:                    |       |
| Medical                              | 41    |
| Surgical                             | 17    |
| Maternity                            | 1     |
| Infant Health                        | 6     |
| Child Health                         | 17    |
| Prenatal                             | 8     |
| Fees collected—\$80.75               |       |

Clinics and Conferences with nurse in attendance, as follows:

July 14, 1932. Diphtheria Toxoid Clinic. Thirty-three children received inoculations.

August 10, 1932. Tonsil and Adenoid Clinic at Hanover, N. H.

Patients transported to Eye and Ear Clinic at Hanover, to Tuberculosis-Underweight Clinic at Newport; also to Prenatal Clinics at Unity.

Again I wish to thank the community for their co-operation during the year.

EDITH B. PHILBRICK, R. N.

# **ANNUAL REPORT**

of the

## **SCHOOL DISTRICT**

of the

**TOWN OF SPRINGFIELD**

**New Hampshire**

For the Year Ending

**JUNE 30, 1933**





## SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICERS

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MODERATOR

Justin E. Nichols

CLERK

Seely W. Philbrick

SCHOOL BOARD

Eva M. Gardner

Walter C. Gardner

Addie E. Philbrick

SCHOOL TREASURER

Ruth A. Philbrick

TRUANT OFFICER

Seely W. Philbrick

SUPT. OF SUPERVISORY UNION NO. 12

Henry Howard Pratt

AUDITORS

Hilda E. Clough

Evan E. George

# FINANCIAL REPORT

of the

SPRINGFIELD SCHOOL DISTRICT

Fiscal year beginning July 1, 1932, and ending June 30, 1933

## CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. The accounts are kept in accordance with Public Laws 1926, Chapter 68:22, and upon forms prescribed by the State Tax Commission.

H. HOWARD PRATT,  
Superintendent.

EVA M. GARDNER,  
WALTER C. GARDNER,  
ADDIE E. PHILBRICK,  
School Board.

July 24, 1933.

## RECEIPTS

State and Federal Aid:

|                                                          |             |             |
|----------------------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Equalization fund for elementary schools<br>(from state) | \$ 1,245.72 |             |
| Total                                                    |             | \$ 1,245.72 |

Income from Local Taxation (raised  
by Selectmen):

|                                                       |          |
|-------------------------------------------------------|----------|
| For the support of elementary<br>schools              | 2,779.40 |
| For the payment of high school<br>and academy tuition | 875.00   |
| For the salaries of district<br>officers              | 115.00   |
| For the payment of per capita tax                     | 130.00   |
| Special appropriations, Supt's.<br>excess salary      | 164.87   |
| Other obligations                                     | 35.00    |

|       |          |
|-------|----------|
| Total | 4,099.27 |
|-------|----------|

From Sources Other than Taxation:

|                               |        |
|-------------------------------|--------|
| Dog licenses (from Selectmen) | 139.08 |
|-------------------------------|--------|

|                                                 |       |          |
|-------------------------------------------------|-------|----------|
| Sale of property                                | 6.30  |          |
| Other receipts, interest                        | 13.34 |          |
|                                                 |       |          |
| Total                                           |       | 158.72   |
|                                                 |       |          |
| Total receipts from all sources                 | \$    | 5,503.71 |
| Cash on hand at beginning of year, July 1, 1932 | \$    | 1,443.66 |
|                                                 |       |          |
| Grand Total                                     | \$    | 6,947.37 |

## PAYMENTS

## Administration:

|                                    |    |        |
|------------------------------------|----|--------|
| Salaries of district officers      | \$ | 105.00 |
| Supt's. excess salary              |    | 115.40 |
| Truant officer's and school census |    | 8.00   |
| Expenses of administration         |    | 23.21  |

## Instruction:

|                                    |          |
|------------------------------------|----------|
| Principals' and teachers' salaries | 2,744.00 |
| Text books                         | 97.51    |
| Scholars' supplies                 | 78.06    |
| Flags and appurtenances            | 11.71    |
| Other expenses of instruction      | 20.75    |

## Operation and Maintenance of

## School Plant:

|                                  |        |
|----------------------------------|--------|
| Janitor service                  | 103.05 |
| Fuel                             | 122.00 |
| Water, light, janitor's supplies | 36.42  |
| Minor repairs and expenses       | 160.57 |

## Auxiliary Agencies and Special

## Activities:

|                                        |        |
|----------------------------------------|--------|
| Medical inspection, health supervision | 31.00  |
| Transportation of pupils               | 945.40 |
| High school and academy tuition        | 875.00 |
| Elementary school tuition              | 27.00  |
| Other special activities               | 4.95   |

## Fixed Charges:

|                                |        |
|--------------------------------|--------|
| Tax for state wide supervision | 130.00 |
|--------------------------------|--------|

## Outlay for Construction and Equipment:

|               |       |
|---------------|-------|
| New equipment | 41.13 |
|---------------|-------|

|                                                   |    |          |
|---------------------------------------------------|----|----------|
| Total payments for all purposes                   | \$ | 5,680.16 |
| Total cash on hand at end of year (June 30, 1933) |    | 1,267.21 |
|                                                   |    |          |
| Grand total                                       | \$ | 6,947.37 |

## ASSETS

|                                                                                |             |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------|
| Cash on Hand:                                                                  |             |
| Balance June 30, 1933                                                          | \$ 1,267.21 |
| Accounts Due to District:                                                      |             |
| Grafton School Dist., proportionate<br>share of maintaining Maxfield<br>School | 160.00      |
|                                                                                | <hr/>       |
| Total assets                                                                   | \$ 1,427.21 |

## DETAIL STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

### ADMINISTRATION

#### Detail 1—Salaries of District Officers

|                                       |    |       |
|---------------------------------------|----|-------|
| Addie E. Philbrick, Chairman of Board | \$ | 30.00 |
| Eva M. Gardner, member of Board       |    | 25.00 |
| Walter C. Gardner, member of Board    |    | 25.00 |
| Ruth A. Philbrick, Treasurer          |    | 25.00 |

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\$ 105.00

#### Detail 2—Supt's. Excess Salary

|                        |    |        |
|------------------------|----|--------|
| H. Howard Pratt, Supt. | \$ | 115.40 |
|------------------------|----|--------|

#### Detail 3—Truant Officer and Census

|                    |    |      |
|--------------------|----|------|
| Seely W. Philbrick | \$ | 8.00 |
|--------------------|----|------|

#### Detail 4—Expense of Administration

|                                                |    |      |
|------------------------------------------------|----|------|
| H. Pauline Rudner, Auditor                     | \$ | 2.50 |
| John A. Heath, Auditor                         |    | 2.50 |
| Addie E. Philbrick, use of car                 |    | 8.00 |
| Addie E. Philbrick, postage and stationery     |    | .80  |
| Ruth A. Philbrick, postage and stationery      |    | 3.00 |
| Walter C. Gardner, use of car                  |    | 4.00 |
| H. H. Pratt, Supt., postage and tolls          |    | 1.79 |
| H. H. Pratt, Dist. share expense to conference |    | .62  |

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\$ 23.21

### INSTRUCTION

#### Detail 5—Teachers' Salaries

|                  |    |        |
|------------------|----|--------|
| Edna D. Hazen    | \$ | 800.00 |
| Yvonne A. Martin |    | 648.00 |
| Elsie A. Smith   |    | 648.00 |
| Marion A. Heath  |    | 648.00 |

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\$ 2,744.00

#### Detail 6—Text Books

|                        |    |       |
|------------------------|----|-------|
| Charles E. Merrill Co. | \$ | 25.38 |
| Houghton Mifflin Co.   |    | 1.35  |
| Macmillan Co.          |    | 14.38 |
| Ginn & Co.             |    | 37.61 |

|                                                          |          |
|----------------------------------------------------------|----------|
| L. W. Singer Co.                                         | 18.79    |
|                                                          | <hr/>    |
| Detail 7—Scholars' Supplies                              | \$ 97.51 |
| Edward E. Babb & Co., Inc.                               | \$ 76.51 |
| W. W. Severance, express                                 | 1.55     |
|                                                          | <hr/>    |
|                                                          | \$ 78.06 |
| Detail 8—Flags and Appurtenances                         |          |
| Edward E. Babb & Co., Inc.                               | \$ 11.71 |
| Detail 9—Other Expenses of Instruction                   |          |
| Addie E. Philbrick, cash paid, crepe paper<br>and ribbon | \$ 4.70  |
| E. E. Babb & Co., Inc. Globe                             | 16.05    |
|                                                          | <hr/>    |
|                                                          | \$ 20.75 |

#### OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE SCHOOL PLANT

|                                                                |           |
|----------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|
| Detail 10—Janitor Service                                      |           |
| Guy L. Wheeler, janitor service and care of<br>chemical toilet | \$ 54.00  |
| Oscar Colby, janitor service                                   | 27.00     |
| Marion A. Heath, janitor service                               | 22.05     |
|                                                                | <hr/>     |
|                                                                | \$ 103.05 |
| Detail 11—Fuel                                                 |           |
| George H. Rogers, 5 cords wood @ \$7.00                        | \$ 35.00  |
| Walter C. Gardner, 12 cords wood @ \$7.00                      | 84.00     |
| Kindling                                                       | 3.00      |
|                                                                | <hr/>     |
|                                                                | \$ 122.00 |
| Detail 12—Water and Janitors' Supplies                         |           |
| W. W. Severance, water                                         | \$ 9.00   |
| Oscar Colby, water                                             | 9.00      |
| Marion A. Heath, water                                         | 8.70      |
| Robinson Mfg. Co., chemical                                    | 6.00      |
| W. W. Severance, express                                       | 1.62      |
| C. E. Bailey, janitor supplies                                 | 2.10      |
|                                                                | <hr/>     |
|                                                                | \$ 36.42  |
| Detail 13—Minor Repairs and Expenses                           |           |
| George H. Rogers, cleaning vaults twice                        | \$ 2.50   |
| George H. Rogers, banking school house                         | 2.50      |

|                                                                  |           |
|------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|
| N. P. Clough & Co., material for repairs                         | 39.55     |
| E. C. Brunnell, labor and cash paid out                          | 32.17     |
| W. L. Morgan, painting in Center Div.                            | 27.30     |
| Charles A. Chase, painting Center Div.                           | 14.00     |
| Addie E. Philbrick, cash paid for paint                          | 14.90     |
| C. E. Bailey, repair supplies                                    | 4.40      |
| Harland J. Heath, cleaning vaults                                | 1.00      |
| Harland J. Heath, banking school house                           | 1.50      |
| W. C. Gardner, banking school house                              | 3.00      |
| W. C. Gardner, removing banking                                  | 1.00      |
| Eva M. Gardner, cleaning school houses                           | 15.00     |
| E. C. Brunnell, scraping floor and installing<br>sanitary closet | 17.5      |
|                                                                  | <hr/>     |
|                                                                  | \$ 160.57 |

## AUXILIARY AGENCIES—SPECIAL ACTIVITIES

## Detail 14—Health Supervision

|                                       |          |
|---------------------------------------|----------|
| Lake Sunapee Community Nursing Ass'n. | \$ 25.00 |
| Dr. Munro, medical attention          | 6.00     |
|                                       | <hr/>    |
|                                       | \$ 31.00 |

## Detail 15—Transportation of Pupils

|                         |           |
|-------------------------|-----------|
| Annie E. Saunders       | \$ 450.00 |
| Seely W. Philbrick      | 450.40    |
| New London School Dist. | 45.00     |
|                         | <hr/>     |
|                         | \$ 945.40 |

## Detail 16—High School Tuition

|                              |           |
|------------------------------|-----------|
| Towle High School, tuition   | \$ 375.00 |
| Alfred Cote                  |           |
| Lois I. George               |           |
| Richard Larue                |           |
| Bernice Patten               |           |
| Dorothy Wheeler              |           |
| Sunapee High School, tuition | 225.00    |
| Verna Philbrick              |           |
| Mary Bartlett                |           |
| Samuel Howard                |           |
| Lebanon High School, tuition | 90.00     |
| Gladys Colburn               |           |
| Enfield High School, tuition | 85.00     |
| Evelyn Patten                |           |

|                                |        |
|--------------------------------|--------|
| Kimball Union Academy, tuition | 100.00 |
| Margaret Metcalf               |        |

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\$ 875.00

|                                     |          |
|-------------------------------------|----------|
| Detail 17—Elementary School Tuition |          |
| New London School District, tuition | \$ 27.00 |
| Frederick Witcher                   |          |

|                                            |         |
|--------------------------------------------|---------|
| Detail 18—Special Activities               |         |
| W. C. Gardner, putting up ocean wave       | \$ 2.00 |
| W. C. Gardner, gravel for Maxfield Div.    | 1.00    |
| Edna D. Hazen, postage on library books    | .34     |
| Yvonne A. Martin, postage on library books | .95     |
| Elsie A. Smith, postage on library books   | .66     |

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\$ 4.95

## OTHER FIXED CHARGES

|                          |           |
|--------------------------|-----------|
| Detail 20—Per Capita Tax |           |
| State Treasurer          | \$ 130.00 |

## OUTLAY FOR EQUIPMENT

|                                                    |          |
|----------------------------------------------------|----------|
| Detail 23                                          |          |
| Edw. E. Babb & Co. Inc., water fountain and stand  | \$ 10.13 |
| Sunapee School Dist., desks, stove and jacket      | 16.00    |
| W. C. Gardner, installing desks and stove, cartage | 6.00     |
| Robinson Household Mfg. Co., Comfort chem. toilet  | 9.00     |

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\$ 41.13



## SCHOOL TREASURER'S REPORT

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Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1933

|                                                                 |             |             |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Cash on hand June 30, 1932                                      |             | \$ 1,443.66 |
| Received from selectmen                                         | \$ 4,099.27 |             |
| Dog tax                                                         | 139.08      |             |
| Received from State Treasurer                                   | 1,245.72    |             |
| Received from all other sources,<br>sale, supplies and interest | 19.64       | 5,503.71    |
|                                                                 |             | <hr/>       |
| Total amount available for fiscal year                          |             | \$ 6,947.37 |
| Less School Board orders paid                                   |             | 5,680.16    |
|                                                                 |             | <hr/>       |
| Balance on hand as of June 30, 1933                             |             | \$ 1,267.21 |

RUTH A. PHILBRICK,

July 7, 1933.

District Treasurer.

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### AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer and school board of the school district of Springfield, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1933, and find them correct in all respects.

HILDA E. CLOUGH,  
EVAN E. GEORGE,

July 11, 1933.

Auditors.

# SCHOOL BOARD'S ESTIMATE

FOR 1934-1935

## SCHOOL DISTRICT OF SPRINGFIELD

School Board's statement of amounts required to support public schools and meet other statutory obligations of the district for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1934.

### DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

#### Support of Schools:

|                                |             |
|--------------------------------|-------------|
| Teachers' salaries             | \$ 2,240.00 |
| Text books                     | 100.00      |
| Scholars' supplies             | 100.00      |
| Other expenses of instruction  | 15.00       |
| Janitor service                | 108.00      |
| Fuel                           | 122.00      |
| Water and janitors' supplies   | 40.00       |
| Minor repairs and expenses     | 75.00       |
| Health supervision             | 25.00       |
| Transportation of pupils       | 945.00      |
| Payment of elementary tuitions | 27.00       |
| Other special activities       | 20.00       |

\$ 3,817.00

#### Other Statutory Requirements:

|                                  |           |
|----------------------------------|-----------|
| Salaries of district officers    | \$ 105.00 |
| Truant officer and school census | 10.00     |
| Payment of high school tuition   | 850.00    |
| Superintendent's excess salary   | 119.30    |
| Per capita tax                   | 136.00    |
| Expense of administration        | 35.00     |

\$ 1,255.30

Total amount required to meet budget

\$ 5,072.30

### ESTIMATED INCOME OF DISTRICT

|                                  |           |
|----------------------------------|-----------|
| Balance June 30, 1934 (estimate) | \$ 200.00 |
| State aid (Dec. 1934 allotment)  | 571.27    |

|                                                                |             |
|----------------------------------------------------------------|-------------|
| Dog tax (estimate)                                             | 102.41      |
|                                                                | <hr/>       |
| Deduct estimated income<br>(not raised by taxation)            | \$ 873.68   |
|                                                                | <hr/>       |
| Assessment required to balance budget                          | \$ 4,198.62 |
| Special Appropriation:                                         |             |
| Insurance                                                      | \$ 45.00    |
|                                                                | <hr/>       |
| Total assessment required to cover budget<br>and appropriation | \$ 4,243.62 |

EVA M. GARDNER,  
WALTER C. GARDNER,  
ADDIE E. PHILBRICK,

Springfield, N. H., Feb. 16, 1934.

School Board.

# STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

OF SPRINGFIELD SCHOOL DISTRICT

from

July 1, 1933 to January 31, 1934

## RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS

|                                                          |             |
|----------------------------------------------------------|-------------|
| Cash on hand July 1, 1933                                | \$ 1,267.21 |
| Received from Grafton School District                    | 160.00      |
| Received from Taxation                                   | 4,220.38    |
| Received from Sunapee Mutual Insurance Co.,<br>insurance | 10.00       |
| Total Receipts                                           | \$ 5,657.59 |
| Total payments as per detail report                      | \$ 2,825.76 |
| Cash on hand January 31, 1934                            | \$ 2,831.83 |

## DETAIL STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS ADMINISTRATION

|                                                 |             |
|-------------------------------------------------|-------------|
| Detail 2—Superintendent's Excess Salary         |             |
| Supervisory Union No. 13, Supt's. excess salary | \$ 119.30   |
| Detail 4—Expense of Administration              |             |
| Hilda E. Clough, auditor                        | \$ 2.00     |
| Evan E. George, auditor                         | 2.00        |
|                                                 | \$ 4.00     |
| Detail 5—Principal's and Teachers' Salaries     |             |
| Edna D. Hazen, 20 weeks                         | \$ 444.40   |
| Yvonne A. Martin, 20 weeks                      | 360.00      |
| Elsie A. Smith, 20 weeks                        | 360.00      |
| Marion A. Heath, 20 weeks                       | 360.00      |
|                                                 | \$ 1,524.40 |
| Detail 6—Text Books                             |             |
| Ginn & Co.                                      | \$ 26.36    |

|                        |       |
|------------------------|-------|
| Houghton Mifflin Co.   | 17.44 |
| Charles E. Merrill Co. | 4.20  |
| J. B. Lippincott Co.   | 11.10 |

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§ 59.10

Detail 7—Scholars' Supplies

|                          |        |
|--------------------------|--------|
| White River Paper Co.    | § 6.28 |
| Edward E. Babb Co., Inc. | 37.56  |
| Macmillan Co.            | 2.34   |
| Charles E. Merrill Co.   | 5.73   |

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§ 51.91

OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE SCHOOL PLANT

Detail 10—Janitor Service

|                   |         |
|-------------------|---------|
| Edward Smith      | § 13.95 |
| Nellie D. Elliott | 18.00   |

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§ 31.95

Detail 13—Minor Repairs and Expenses

|                                           |         |
|-------------------------------------------|---------|
| W. L. Morgan, labor and varnish           | § 12.60 |
| C. H. Larue, cleaning vault, digging pit  | 1.50    |
| Harland Heath, cleaning vaults, banking   | 2.50    |
| H. C. Winter & Co., stove pipe and damper | .50     |

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§ 17.10

AUXILIARY AGENCIES—SPECIAL ACTIVITIES

Detail 15—Transportation

|                              |          |
|------------------------------|----------|
| Seely W. Philbrick, 20 weeks | § 200.00 |
| Annie E. Saunders, 20 weeks  | 200.00   |

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§ 400.00

Detail 16—High School Tuition

|                              |                 |
|------------------------------|-----------------|
| Towle High School, tuition   | § 300.00        |
| Florence Eaton               | Verna Philbrick |
| Samuel Howard                | Bernice Patten  |
| Richard Larue                | Richard Smith   |
| Merle Leonard                | Guy Wheeler     |
| Sunapee High School, tuition | 75.00           |
| Mary Bartlett                | Marjorie Putney |

|                                     |           |
|-------------------------------------|-----------|
| Lebanon High School, tuition        | 37.50     |
| Gladys Colburn                      |           |
| Kimball Union Academy, tuition      | 50.00     |
| Margaret Metcalf                    |           |
|                                     | <hr/>     |
| Detail 17—Elementary Tuition        | \$ 462.50 |
| New London School District, tuition | \$ 13.50  |
| Frederick Whitcher                  |           |
| Detail 18—Special Activities        |           |
| A. D. Kempfield, tuning piano       | \$ 4.00   |
| OTHER FIXED CHARGES                 |           |
| Detail 20—Per Capita Tax            |           |
| State Treasurer                     | \$ 138.00 |

# SCHOOL STATISTICS

| School   | Division | Terms | Teachers                            | Salaries  | No. Weeks | No. Pupils | Average Members | Average Attendance | Perfect Attendance | Tardiness | Visits of Supt. | Visits of Nurse | Other Visitors |
|----------|----------|-------|-------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|------------|-----------------|--------------------|--------------------|-----------|-----------------|-----------------|----------------|
| Center   | 1        | 3     | (Edna D. Hazen<br>(Yvonne A. Martin | \$800.00) | 36        | 34         | 27              | 23                 | 4                  | 1         | 16              | 9               | 43             |
| Maxfield | 4        | 3     | Marion A. Heath                     | 648.00    | 36        | 16         | 14              | 13                 | 8                  | 2         | 14              | 8               | 28             |
| Morgan   | 9        | 3     | Elsie A. Smith                      | 648.00    | 36        | 13         | 10              | 9                  | 2                  | 5         | 14              | 10              | 68             |

## ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE

FOR THE YEAR: Lillian Cote, Pearl Cote, Wilfred Cote, Lyman Saunders, Ruth Beals, Myrle Leonard, G. Richard Smith, Norman Macie, Edward W. Smith, Lloyd S. Heath, John H. Donovan, Allen Donovan, Margaret Colcord, Genevieve Brackett.

FOR TWO TERMS: Guy L. Wheeler, Lucy C. Church, Georgia M. Church, Oscar Colby, Chester Colcord, Cleo Eastman.

FOR ONE TERM: Margaret Brown, Frances Metcalf, Bernard Lowell, Helen Patten, Lena Pillsbury, Laura Smith, Marion B. Church, Cora M. Church, Edna Temple, Frederick Temple, Marjorie Putney, Isabel Eastman.

# Births Registered in the Town of Springfield, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1933

| Date of Birth | Place of Birth  | Name of Child | No. of Child | Sex | Condition | Father's Name and Birthplace         | Father's Age | Mother's Maiden Name and Birthplace | Mother's Age | Father's Occupation | Mother's Occupation | Residence of Parents |
|---------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------|-----|-----------|--------------------------------------|--------------|-------------------------------------|--------------|---------------------|---------------------|----------------------|
| Mar. 2        | Newport N H     | Donald Leon   | 2            | M   | L         | Carl Hooper<br>Springfield N H       | 23           | Eva Luck<br>Cambridge Mass          | 21           | Teamster            | Housewife           | Springfield N H      |
| April 1       | New London N H  | Arthur Leon   | 4            | M   | L         |                                      |              | Fannie Rogers<br>Hobbrook Mass      | 44           |                     | Housewife           | Springfield N H      |
| June 2        | Springfield N H | Arthur Newton | 2            | M   | L         | Charles King<br>Newport N H          | 26           | Bessie Severance<br>Springfield N H | 23           | Laborer             | Housewife           | Springfield N H      |
| Aug. 14       | Springfield N H | Ella May      | 2            | F   | L         | Earl W Carpenter<br>Rumford Falls Me | 29           | Ruby L Collins<br>Springfield N H   | 24           | Laborer             | Housewife           | Springfield N H      |
| Sept. 18      | Springfield N H | Anita F       | 6            | F   | L         | Omer Melanson<br>Grafton N H         | 31           | Wilma Knox<br>Seabrook N H          | 28           | Laborer             | Housewife           | Springfield N H      |
| 24            | Springfield N H | Alfred Henry  | 2            | M   | L         | Leo N Duford<br>Suncook N H          | 28           | Estelle A Duracher<br>Holyoke Mass  | 18           | Laborer             | Housewife           | Springfield N H      |
| Oct. 21       | New London N H  | Patricia Ruth | 1            | F   | L         | Paul C Heath<br>Springfield N H      | 27           | Bessie A Hogue<br>Newbury N H       | 22           | Farmer              | Housewife           | Springfield N H      |
| 23            | New London N H  | Dallas Ruel   | 1            | M   | L         | Dallas H Patten<br>Springfield N H   | 46           | Hazel M Little<br>Concord VT        | 30           | Meat Dealer         | Housewife           | Springfield N H      |





Deaths Registered in the Town of Springfield, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1933

| Date of Death<br>1933 | Place of Death  | Name of Deceased     | Age   |        | Place of Birth  | Sex | Color | In., Md., Wd. | Occupation | Name of Father    | Maiden Name of Mother | Place of Burial |
|-----------------------|-----------------|----------------------|-------|--------|-----------------|-----|-------|---------------|------------|-------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
|                       |                 |                      | Years | Months |                 |     |       |               |            |                   |                       |                 |
| Jan. 3                | Newport N H     | Emma M Tenney        | 75    | 3      | Springfield N H | F   | W     | W             | Housewife  | John Heath        | Dolly A Clark         | Springfield N H |
| Jan. 11               | Concord N H     | Arabelle Melendy     | 68    | 6      | Springfield N H | F   | W     | W             | Housewife  | Sargent Heath     | Eliza Stevens         | Springfield N H |
| Mar. 7                | Newport N H     | Donald Leon Hooper   | 2     | days   | Newport N H     | M   | W     | S             | Housewife  | Carl C Hooper     | Eva Luck              | Springfield N H |
| May 15                | Newport N H     | Abbie M Peaslee      | 67    |        | Springfield N H | F   | W     | W             | Housewife  | John F Hardy      | Frene B Quimbz        | Springfield N H |
| 28                    | Springfield N H | Charles F Wellman    | 77    |        | Dighton Mass    | M   | W     | W             | Retired    | Nelson Wellman    | Laura Brown           | Springfield N H |
| 31                    | Springfield N H | Edith Cora Gardner   | 10    | 10     | Hanover N H     | F   | W     | S             |            | Walter C Gardner  | Bessie I Gardner      | Springfield N H |
| 31                    | Springfield N H | Nathaniel Gardner Jr | 6     |        | Springfield N H | M   | W     | S             |            | Walter C Gardner  | Bessie I Gardner      | Springfield N H |
| June 1                | Newport N H     | Walter C Gardner     | 41    | 10     | Hanover N H     | M   | W     | S             | Housewife  | Walter C Gardner  | Bessie I Gardner      | Springfield N H |
| July 24               | Springfield N H | Bessie I Gardner     | 41    | 4      | Springfield N H | F   | W     | M             | Housewife  | Nathaniel Gardner | Edith M Colfran       | Springfield N H |
| Aug. 29               | Springfield N H | Ruth A Philbrick     | 75    | 4      | Boston Mass     | F   | W     | W             | Housewife  | Wm. G Willis      | Helen Neen            | Springfield N H |
| Nov. 25               | Newport N H     | Abbie D. Heath       | 75    | 4      | Granatham N H   | F   | W     | W             | Housewife  | Theophilus Clough | Martha Smith          | Springfield N H |
| Nov. 25               | Springfield N H | Marcia H Broe        | 35    | 8      | E Franklin Vt   | F   | W     | S             | Housewife  | Ernest H Broe     | Pearl Burleson        | Franklin Vt     |

I hereby certify that the above returns are correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

SEELY W. PHILBRICK, Town Clerk.

# REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

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To the School Board:

It gives me considerable satisfaction to make another annual report to you in which I can honestly commend the work and character of everyone of our school teachers. It is not so common a thing as might be carelessly supposed to be able to say that. There are some teachers in our schools every year somewhere about the state, usually distributed in about every town, of whom it is said with truth by the public that their worth to their schools is not equal to their cost. Some do not regard teaching as their job, they regard it as their avocation; feel that they are doing the public a favor to abide among them, to endure as magnanimously as may be for a time the inferior sort of children with which the parents inflict them, and to confer the blessing of their presence upon a benighted neighborhood. You have all seen that sort. Too many do not rise in behavior and ideals to the high level expected of the profession by those who support it. All these teachers are becoming fewer.

But these fine women who are managing our schools this year—the same ones as last—deserve some sort of public expression of appreciation of their value to the district. This is the second year of Miss Elsie Smith; the third year of Miss Edna Hazen; the fourth of Miss Yvonne Martin; the ninth of Mrs. Marion Heath in the district. During this time they have become acquainted with us and we with them and if you could sit in their schoolrooms with me as I have done so many hours in the year and see and appreciate the spirit of the school which they have created and the quiet, but efficient, work which each is doing and has done these years, you would agree with my eulogy above.

It is an old and trite saying that "as is the teacher so is the school" and I used to discredit it a good deal in favor of certain other conditions which seemed to be more influential and determinative. But as our teachers stay with their schools year after year, long enough to make their real influence felt, I have been privileged to see rude schools and unwilling and careless and ill-disposed pupils transformed into a group of persons in which a real liking for the finer and better things in school and out was

evident, I have been converted to the opinion that the old saying above is very true.

In this report last year is a paragraph regarding the maintenance of two teachers at the Center School. This need not be repeated here, but I see no reason to change what is there said; however, those in charge of finances can best tell about the possibility of carrying the idea along for another year.

There follows a statement of the enrollment of the schools at the present time:

| School   | Grade |    |     |    |    |    |     |      |       |
|----------|-------|----|-----|----|----|----|-----|------|-------|
|          | I     | II | III | IV | V  | VI | VII | VIII | Total |
| Center   | 2     | 1  | 6   | 2  | 9  | 1  | 4   | 1    | 26    |
| Maxfield | 3     | 1  | 2   | 0  | 2  | 3  | 0   | 0    | 11    |
| Morgan   | 0     | 0  | 0   | 2  | 1  | 0  | 3   | 0    | 6     |
|          | 5     | 2  | 8   | 4  | 12 | 4  | 7   | 1    | 43    |

This year there are twelve pupils attending high school in Newport, Lebanon, Kimball Union Academy and Sunapee. There are none at Enfield this year.

Last year in this report mention was made of the comparatively high per cent of our resident pupils enrolled in high schools, 18 per cent. This year the ratio is even higher, about 22 percent. This indicates a very commendable ambition on the part of the people of our town for higher education for their children.

Allow me in closing to express my thanks for your continued assistance in many ways and I count it a privilege to have worked with so many people on the several school boards of this union, who have proved themselves such kindly friends.

Respectfully submitted,

H. H. PRATT, Superintendent.







